LEGISLATIVE SERVICES AGENCY OFFICE OF FISCAL AND MANAGEMENT ANALYSIS

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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6746 DATE PREPARED: Jan 2, 2002

BILL NUMBER: SB 304 BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Emergency Room Services.

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FUNDS AFFECTED: GENERAL IMPACT: No Fiscal Impact

DEDICATED FEDERAL

<u>Summary of Legislation:</u> This bill requires that certain physician services provided in a hospital emergency department to a patient enrolled in the Medicaid Risk-Based Managed Care program by a physician who does not have a contract with the patient's managed care organization must be paid at 100% of the rates payable under the Medicaid fee structure. (The introduced version of this bill was prepared by the Joint Commission on Medicaid Oversight.)

Effective Date: July 1, 2002.

Explanation of State Expenditures: This provision is included in I.C.12-15-12-18.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected:

<u>Information Sources:</u> Amy Brown, Legislative liaison for Family and Social Services Administration, (317) 232-1149.

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